

Alaska Local and Regional Information

Workforce Info

Chitina

Chitina is an unincorporated CDP located on the west bank of the Copper River at its confluence with the Chitina River. Chitina is part of the Valdez-Cordova Census Area.

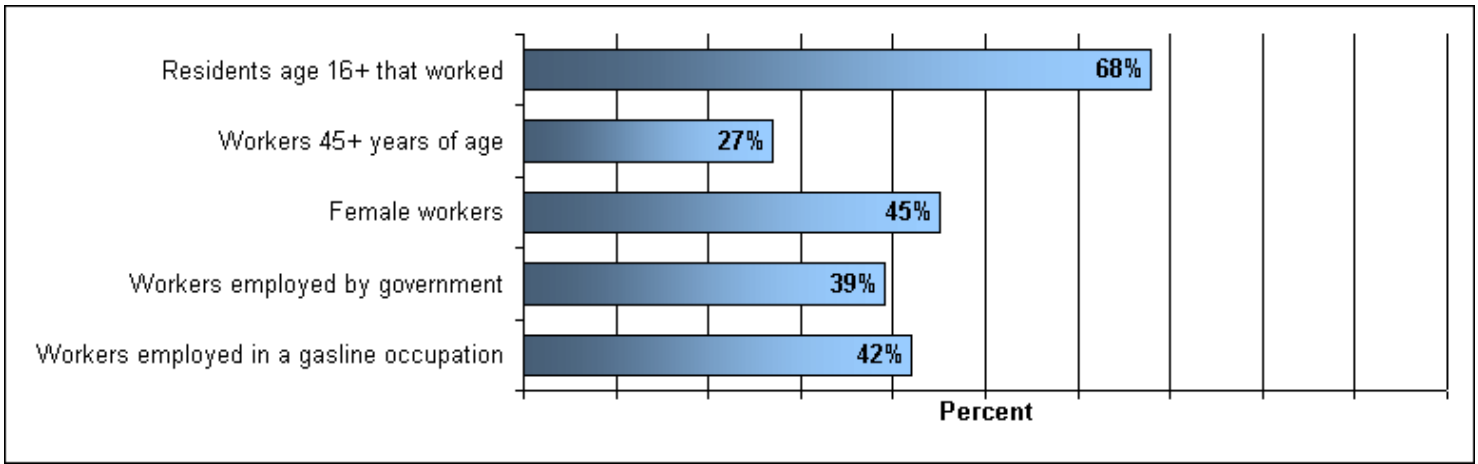
- ♦ The estimated population for 2008 was 125, a gain of about 2 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 68 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ♦ Local Government was the main industry in 2008, employing 39 percent of the area's workers.
- ♦ More workers were employed as Forest and Conservation Workers than any other occupation.

Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

Chitina Resident Snapshot (2008)			
Working Age Residents		Wages	
Residents age 16+	94	Total wages	\$789,285
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector	
Total	64	Private	39
Male	35	State government	0
Female	29	Local government	25
Age 45+	17	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers	
Age 50+	11	Peak (2nd) quarter workers	57
		Percent working all 4 quarters	40.6%
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupation Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	32	Some construction	23
		At least 1 year construction	5
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	0
New hires	42	Worked in an AGIA occupation	61

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2008 Residents

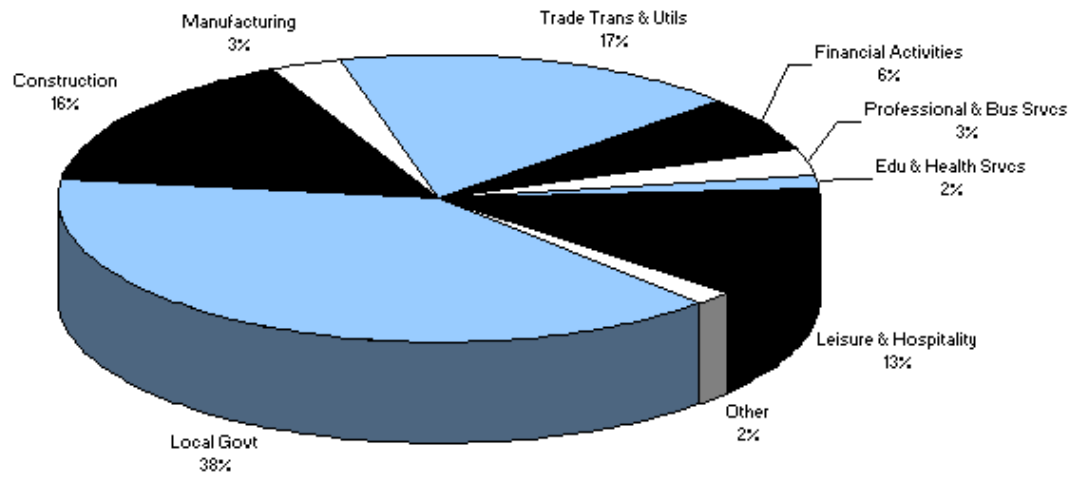


Top Occupations

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Forest and Conservation Workers	8	12.5%	1	0
Construction Laborers AGIA HOT JOB	7	14.3%	3	3

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Resident Workers by Industry



Workers by Industry

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Natural Resources and Mining	0	0.0%	0	0
Construction	10	20.0%	4	3
Manufacturing	*	*	*	*
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	11	63.6%	3	2
Information	0	0.0%	0	0
Financial Activities	*	*	*	*
Professional and Business Services	*	*	*	*
Educational and Health Services	*	*	*	*
Leisure and Hospitality	8	50.0%	1	1
State Government	0	0.0%	0	0
Local Government	25	44.0%	6	3
Other	*	*	*	*
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0

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Recent Unemployment Statistics

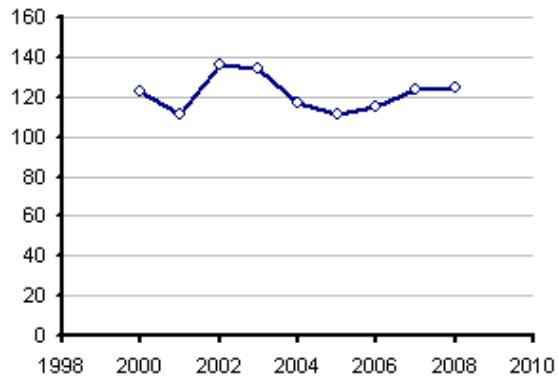
	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	8	11	13	19

**UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

Chitina Traditional Indian Vil
Gilpatrick's Hotel Chitina Inc
Ahtna Const & Primary Prod Cor
Taral Enterprises LLC
Ahtna Inc
Chitina 1 Stop
Ocean Beauty Seafoods LLC
Morrison Construction
Uncle Toms Tavern
Copper River Basin Reg Housing

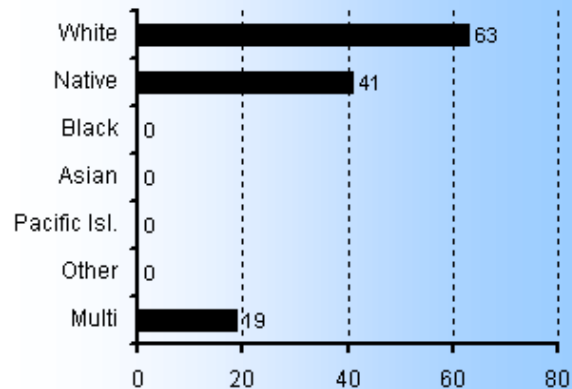
Population over Time



2000 Census

Median Age	39.3
Average Family Size	3.1
Average Household Size	2.4
Per Capita Income	\$10,835
Median Family Income	\$28,750
Median Household Income	\$26,000

Population by Race



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section
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